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RESPONSE

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In response to the action mailed April 26, 2002, please amend the application as follows:

In the specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 1, line 4 with the following rewritten paragraph:

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This application is a continuation application of application Serial No. 08/921,763 filed on August 26, 1997 entitled Microporous Diffusion Apparatus ([allowed] US Patent 6,312,605), which was a continuation of application Serial No. 08/756,273 entitled Microporous Diffusion Apparatus US Patent 5,855,775, which was a continuation-in-part of application Serial No. 08/638,017 filed on April 25, 1996 entitled Groundwater and Soil Remediation with Microporous Diffusion Methods and Apparatuses, (abandoned) which was a continuation-in-part of application Serial No. 29/038,499 filed on May 5, 1995 entitled Bubblersparge Unit for Ground Water Treatment (abandoned).--

In the claims:

Please amend claim 13 as follows:

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